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The Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on January 25, 1999 stated that the signatures of two joint inventors Hsiang-Lung WU and Ransit Desai were missing from the originally filed Declaration. As evidenced by the attached copy of the declaration filed with the Patent Office on December 23, 1998, the Declaration was signed by Ransit Desai on October 26, 1998.

Enclosed herewith is a new Declaration signed by the missing inventor Mr. Hsiang-Lung Wu. Accordingly, the above-identified patent application is now complete.

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